

MINUTES

Jackson-Milton PTA Minutes

January 13, 2016

The meeting was called to order by Sheila Factor at 6:01 p.m.

In attendance

Sheila Factor

Jessica Yonkey

Amanda Tomaino

Cheryl Hochendoner

11 Total in attendance

Approval of Minutes

The minutes were read from the December 9, 2015, meeting and approved.

Budget

Cheryl Hochendoner presented the Treasurer's Report. Presented two reports: The Financial Report and the Budget vs. Year to Date form. Deposits reported: Apparel Sales \$1,384, Santa's Workshop \$4,846.50. Expenses reported: Santa's Workshop \$4500, Blue-Jay Elf Donation: \$200. There is money still set aside for the School Sign. Current Balance \$33,815.84.

Principal's Report

Mrs. Fisk presented the Principal's Report. January 14, 2016 is 80's Day. Next week (Wednesday-Friday) is Camp Fitch. The PTA budgeted three scholarships for Camp Fitch, but we will only need two. There will be an assembly on January 26th for the Power Play Program with the Youngstown Phantoms. There will be a door decorating contest. The Phantoms are donating \$3000 in hockey gear. Ident-a-kid is Thursday, January 28 during school hours. No school on Monday, January 18 in observance of MLK day. Parent-Teacher conferences will be held February 11 which is the same day as the Valentine Day parties. The luncheon with the Tri-C fundraiser winners went well. There is a question about moving next month's meeting from February 10, 2016 because of Ash Wednesday.

Unfinished Business

- Amanda Tomaino read Thank-you letters and correspondences
- The Limousine ride for Tri-C winners will be January 29th. Two adults will be able to ride with children in the limousine. We still need four permission slips.
- Ryan Rotuna's request for the trophies was presented from last month's meeting. Sheila Factor read an email from Mr. Rotuna explaining the tournament and trophies. He is asking for three trophy blackboards for each grade participating. He is requesting up to \$250.00 from the PTA. Motion made to approve up to \$250.00 was made by Brandy Hinkle. It was passed unanimously.

New Business

- Brandy Hinkle talked about the Valentine's Day parties. They are February 11, 2016 at 2:45 p.m. Doors will be open to volunteers around 2:30.
- New student letter and gift was explained by Sheila Factor. We would like to give new students coming to the school throughout the school year a welcome letter as well as a cinch sack which can be purchased for \$6.50. Mrs. Fisk stated that we get around 20-25 new students throughout the year, so total purchase of the cinch sacks will be around \$162.50. Motion to purchase the cinch sacks was made by Brady Hinkle. It was passed unanimously.

- Sheila Factor spoke about the spring fundraiser. Kim Cole is working on a Color Run for the end of April. It will be sponsored by the PTA and another organization. The proceeds will be split between the two sponsors. Ms. Cole will be having a meeting on January 22. There will be more details at next month's meeting.
- There was a discussion about having a spring fundraiser next year with chocolates and/or flowers.
- Next month's meeting needs to be changed because of Ash Wednesday. It was agreed upon to change the meeting to February, 11 at 3:45 p.m.
- Officer Tobias made a request on behalf of Deputy Sosnosky for window tints to be placed on all entrance doors as well as gym doors, as there has been concern for the children's safety. The lowest bid was \$3807.00. There was question about whether this would include the lower level classroom windows. After contacting Deputy Sosnosky, it was determined that it would not be included in the bid. This discussion was put aside until next month's meeting.
- Officer Tobias made another request for a fence to be placed around the entire bus area to alleviate safety and police issues due to crowding and confusion during pick-up time. Will discuss further after quotes are obtained.

Announcements

Next Meeting

February 11, 2016 at 3:45 p.m.

Motion to adjourn was made at 6:45 p.m. and was passed unanimously.